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The Maily

HONGKONG, DECEMBER 25TH, 1911.

AT Christmas play and make good cheer, for Christmas comes but once a year," is the advice given by an old English poet; and it must be admitted that it is advice which is cheerfully followed throughout Christendom. We remember, however, encounter; ing in one of the Reviews a year ago an article in which it was asserted that Christmas as a popular festival was becoming increasingly unpopular, and that the family Christmas, such as we may read about in the literature of half a century ago, had almost entirely disappeared. The write! did not disclose his place of abode, but in his narrow circle he became impressed with the waning enjoyment of the children and the growing boredom of the grown-up people who affected to join in their amusements. He declared that a man of fifty who looked back to his childish days and remembered the enormous imfportance and splendour of the Christmas estivities and gifts, not only in the halls of the then prosperous country squires, but in the middle-class families of towns; when Christmas was, regarded as the season when all the members of the family within available distances gathered together, attended the Church which they had previously helped to decorate, gave each other presents, lighted up the Christmas-tree, played games, dined liberally, went to pantomines, kissed each other (when not too) nearly related) under the mistletoe, and generally were supposed to enjoy them-

solves—the man of fifty who can recall these TELEGRAMS. TELEGRAMS.

THE REVOLUTION.

THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.

evidence which justifies these opinions. We THE ATTITUDE OF THE POWERS .

Christmas festivities of his boyhood was

supposed to recognise that "we have changed

all that." But most people, we feel sure, will

agree with us that it is difficult to find the

have doubtless changed with times to some

extent in the matter of the observance of

Christmas, as we have changed in much else.

Improved travelling facilities and the ten-

dency of the population to concentrate in

the towns have admittedly worked for the

disintegration of family life as the older

writers have described it, but does not

more strongly to the popular imagination

on that account? Is not the enormous

traffic over the railways at this season of the

year almost entirely due to this? And do

not the Christmas mails afford equally

thristmas as a popular festival being on the

wane? Particularly is Christmas the

children's festival, and surely old Father

Christmas never had busier times than he

gots in this Twentieth Century, distributing

toys to the young and other gifts to those

who have passed the infant stage. In every

home in England it is still the natural ex

pression of goodwill and hospitality to stuff

a man with indigestible fare, and if he is

not encouraged to drink weird and warm

concoctions of wassail and negus, he is

nevertheless intertained with the same hearty

hospitality as of old. The mutations of time

have necessarily brought small changes in

the programme, but they leave the essen-

and if in such remote parts of the earth as

Hongkong, the observance of Christmas

lacks something in its character as s

home festival, we can at least say that it

is not because the exile from Home, man or

woman, clings less tenuciously to its family

traditions, for the exact contrary is the case.

Christmas is the one day above all others

when thoughts linger on "the old home"

and absent friends. But we rise superior to

the regrets these thoughts evoke, and put

wrote:---

ourselves in tune with the poet who

Without the door let sorrow lie;

We'll bury it in a Christmas pie

And-eyer more be merry !

Daily Press to-morrow.

one of the crew was killed.

And if, for-cold, it hap to die.

There will be no issue of the Hongkong

It is notified in the Gazette that Mr. R.

E. Lindsell and Mr. S. B. B. McElberry,

cadets, passed their final examination in

The Yaumati police have been advised of

a case of piracy which took place of Pinghai

near Swatow, in Chinese waters. A junk

was attacked by 60 men in four boats, and

We are asked by Pastor Müller to men-

tion that to-day (Christmas Day) the service

Li o'clock, on Sylvester at 5 p.m. and on

The American Army accounts show that

a total sum of \$2,087,362 (gold) was appro-

priated for army rations in the Philippines

The average cost per day is worked out at

31,29 cents per day, while the average cost

On Saturday afternoon the members of the

Civil Service Cricket Club had their annual

Christmas Tree, Mr. C. Bond acted as

Father Christmas and distributed gifts to

some seventy children, while the elders were

His Excellency the Governor has given

his assent, in the name and on be-

half of His Majesty the King, to the

following Ordinance passed by the Legisla-

tive Council-Ordinance No. 59 of 1911.-

An Ordinance to further amend the Uni-

His Excellency the Governor has been

pleased to appoint Mr. R. O. Hutchison to

act as Assistant Superintendent of Police

supernumary to the establishment, and

Commander Beckwith, R.N., to assist-Mr.

R. O. Hutchison in the discharge of the

duties of Superintendent of Imports and

Exports, with effect from the 14th inst. until

ment appears regarding the representation-

of Justices of the Peace on the Legislative

Council. The representation of the Hon.

Mr. H. E. Polleck expires on January 16th

next and he has expressed his willingness

to stand again. In the event of another

candidate being nominated, an election will

A statement of the traffic on the British

for the month of October shows that

the takings for local traffic amounted to

\$9,443.92, and for through traffic to \$7,518 .-

31. The passengers booked for local traffic

numbered 8,397 and for through traffic

32,082. Since the opening of the section up

to the end of October, the total takings have

regaled with suitable refreshment.

versity Ordinance, 1911.

further notice.

be held on January 8.

amounted to \$150,185.51.

at the German Chapel will be held

New Year's Day at it o'clock:

in the States is 29.03.

Cantonese on the 25th November, 1911.

tial traditions of the festival unimpaired

striking evidence against the idea of

LONDON, December 23rd. Reuter states that there is no truth in the report that Britain and Japan insist on monarchical government in China. The

efforts of Britain and other Powers are being directed towards assisting China to secure efficient government based on popu-Christmas as a family festival appeal all the lar approval. FEARS FOR THE CONFESENCE.

LONDON, December 23rd. Reuter's correspondent at Peking wires that the Government fears that the confer-

ence at Shanghai will fail. The rebels are preparing to march northwards via Pukow. ...

ROBBING FROM THE DEAD.

LONDON, December 23rd. Reuter's Paris correspondent states that robbers have opened the grave of Madame Lantelme, a favourité actress, and steles jewels from her body to the value of £20,000.

The cutrage on the body of the actress Lantelme has caused a sensation in Paris. The robbers scattered the images at the altar and removed three shells. They stripped the body of the wrappings of cotton wool, which a fallen match fired, and the stifling smoke compelled them to retreat. The firemen afterwards extinguished the Hames and found the jewels intact beneath the pillow at the head of the corpse.

BRITISH WARSHIP IN A GALE.

London, December 23rd. During the recent great gale, the battleship London, which was on her speed trials, follows :-near Ushant, was swept by a sea and two of her crew were drowned. Commander Forbes was injured, and afterwards two men were seriously injured through a steam | pipe bursting.

GALE IN THE NORTH SEA.

London, December 23rd. The recent gale played havon with the fisheries, especially with French and British vessels. Nearly one hundred fishermen were drowned and many vessels lost. After many weeks of storms and almost continuous rain the wind dropped to-day, and the heavy weather gave place to sunshine. There is promise of a fine Christmas.

STRIKES IN BRITAIN.

LONDON, December 23rd. The Manchester paving trade employers this afternoon decided to recommend a lockout for Wednesday. The lockout will affect 160,000 men.

The position at Dundee is most serious. The shipping companies have conferred and refused to compromise, on the ground that as the matter had now assumed a national character there was no ground for negotia-

Sir G. Askwith is proceeding to Dundee to mediate with the men's leaders. The strikers have succeeded in blocking

cargoes at Leith destined for Dundee.

RUSSIA AND PERSIA.

PERSIA ACCEPTS ALL RUSSIA'S DEMANDS.

LONDON, December 23rd. Reuter's correspondent at St. Petersburg states that the Persian Charge d'Affaires has called at the Foreign Office and notified M. Sazinoff of Persia's acceptance of all the demands in the Russian ultimatum.

SEVERE FIGHTING AT TABRIZ. Telegrams from St. Petersburg show that the fighting at Tabriz on the 21st inst. was very severe, the Fidais attacking from the roofs and in the streets. The Russians repulsed a formidable attack at Bagitchemal with artillery.

The Russian colony took refuge in the Consulte until reinforcements arrived, and then the artillery began the bombardment of the citadel, where the Fidais were mostly gathered. The Russian corpses were horribly mutilated by the Fidais.

After the fighting at Tabriz, the Russians occupied all the Government offices and the telegraph station. The bombardment In the Government Gazette an announce- demolished many private buildings, and fifty Persians were killed. The Russians occupied the police and telegraph offices at Resht, where a number of Government officials were killed.

Reuter's correspondent at Teheran wires that Russian official sources state that while the Russian Government is sincerely desirous of withdrawing the troops as soon as possible, no pledge of immediate evacuation section of the Canton-Kowloon, Railway will be given on compliance with the ultimatum. No action has yet been taken

regarding Mr. Shuster's position. Official notices have been posted ordering. the people to abstain from holding political meetings except with the sanction of the police, as the question of the Russian ultimatum is being amicably settled.

THROUGH BEUTER'S AGENCY.

THE WRECK OF THE "DELHI."

London, December 23rd. All the specie from the steamer Delhi has been landed. THE OPTUM CONVENTION:

London, December 23rd. Reuter's correspondent at The Hague

wires that the Opium Conference has passed

the first reading of the Opium Convention,

and has adjourned till the 8th January.

TURKEY AND ITALY. LONDON, December 23rd. The Italian warship Puglia has seized in the Rel Sea the steamer Menzileh, bound

toward Hodia. The steamer had thirty

thousand sterling on board. London, December 24th. The Mensalch, was allowed to proceed after the cruisers took away the £30,000 and the Ottoman parcels which she carried

GERMAN POLITICS.

London, December 23rd. Herr Solf has been officially appointed Secretary for the Colonies.

BRITISH POLITICS.

London, December 23rd. Mr. Gibson Bowles has returned to the Conservative fold. He says the present crisis is one before which the Conservative differences sink into insignificance, and advises all his friends to support the Conser-

THE RESULT AT GOVAN. The result of the Govan election was as

Holmes (Liberal) 7,508 Balfour (Unionist) ... 6,522 The Liberal majority has been reduced from 2,010 to 986.

UGANDA BISHOPRIC.

London, December 23rd.

Archdeacon Willis of Kavirondo has accepted the Bishopric of Uganda. He returns to Uganda in a few weeks.

THE AUSTRALIAN COAL VEND.

LONDON, December 23rd. Router's correspondent at Sydney cables that the result of the Federal suit against the members of the Coal Vend was that each defendant was fined £500 with costs and enj ined from continuing the monopoly. The cases occupied seventy-three days, and the defendants comprised the principal Newcastle and Maitland collieries and interstate shipping companies. The penalties and costs amounted to over

WAIERBURST AT WIGAN.

London, December 23rd. A waterburst at a pit shaft near Wigan flooded the mine. Seventy-five men were rescued and twelve are still below.

Eleven men were rescued from the flooded mine at Wigan late yesterday evening. One man was drowned.

> PORTUGUESE REGIMENT MUTINIES.

LONDON, December 23rd. A regiment at Braga in Portugal has mutinied and shot and wounded the colonel. Thirty-nine men have been arrested.

EXCOMMUNICATION DECREE

LONDON, December 23rd. The papers comment on the reissue of the Papal decree excommunicating private

individuals who, without obtaining permission of the Ecclesiastical authorities, summon any ecclesiastic before a criminal or civil tribunal as a defendant or witness It is stated that the Irish law officers are considering the decree, which is regarded as denying the Roman Catholics justice.

CEMENT COMBINE FORMED.

LONDON, December 24th. A British Coment Combine has been formed with a capital of three and a half millions pounds. It has an agreement with the Associated Cement Company. The two concerns will have a capital of twelve millions and will control five-sixths of the

HONOUR FOR A JAPANESE AMBASSADOR.

British output.

London, December 23th.

Reuter's correspondent at Berlin states that the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Chinda, has received the Grand Cross of the Red Eagle on the occasion of his transfer to . Washington.

CANTON.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CANTON, December 22.

PRECAUTIONS IN FATSHAN. Robbers and brigands are still giving trouble round about Fatshan, and the soldiers there at present are not sufficient to keep the whole district in order, for when ever it is necessary for them to concentrate anywhere to quell a rising or capture, son daring robbers the other pirates tal advantage of their absence in other quarters lunks have suffered very severely in this district and there is a wholesale outcry for protection. A meeting field at Fatshan has decided to recruit one thousand men to be trained and form a provincial guard to protect commerce, especially on the river-The Governor's permission has been received and the matter is to be gone on with a

PROPOSED MONUMENT.

The Rebels have not forgotton their un-

successful rising last April, and one is always hearing comparison, contrasts, masons, etc., for its failure. Especially are the leaders this unfortunate attempt remembered, most of whom lost their lives. Yesterday a proposal was put forward by a large number of Cantonese to build a monument of " heroes" as they are always colled, named Lam Kun Tsui, Chan King Ngan, and Wun Long Toi, who assassinated the Tartar General at the aviation meeting last April and who were afterwards beheaded. It is to be hoped that this matter will not get any further than talk, for it would be a very bad thing for the City of Rams to have a monument like this round which discord and fighting would be bound to take place. Besides, the present Government would be ill-advised to countenance anything of the kind in their present uncertain state. WINTER FESTIVAL.

Saturday was observed as a general holiday among the Chinese, the occasion being the Winter Solstice, which is one of four festivals held during the year. This means a long week-end for business people, for little or nothing will be done with Christmas and Boxing Day coming on top of this. THE CLEVELAND TOURISTS.

The Cleveland tourists are coming here on Wednesday and Thursday, about 250 in number each trip. Arrangements have been made to have them conveyed from Hongkong by special steamer, the Kinshan having been chartered for that purpose, and on their arrival at Canton they will disembark at the Admiralty wharf by kind permission of the Authorities. I saw a letter from the Governor, headed "Kwang Tung Military Government," which is in itself significant, stating that they would guarantee them protection and safe conduct through the city. The company is to proceed to the different sights in the city, erop was a record one, but prices were going as far as the Temple of the 500 Genü and then to Shameen, entering by the rates ruling for American and Indian staple British Bridge. After going through the island they emerge by the French Bridge and thence along the new Bund to the wharf again to embark on the return voyage. The whole journey through the City will occupy about 23 to 3 hours.

SHAMEEN NOTES.

The fifty odd Marines who have been quartered here for the past month have been refleved to-day by one hundred odd men of the K. O. Y. L. I., who are being quartered in the Naval Canteen, as were the Marines, and in the Swimming Club's large premises. The residents in the island are very sorry to lose Captain Snepp, who proved very

popular everywhere and whose cheery presence will be missed for a long time. The dance given by the Bachelor Taipans was held last night in the Cub Theatre and was a huge success. The attendance was

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highly satisfactory.

A PROTEST AGAINST GOVERNMENT ACTION.

FTO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS."]

Sir,-Most important changes in the law of the Colony especially referring to authorised architects are being brought before the Legislative Council.

No opportunity whatever has been given us to study these changes, and we, in the name of the Authorised Architects of Hongkong, most emphatically protest against such arbitrary action.-We are, Sir,

LEIGH & ORANGE, PALMER & TURNER, DENISON, RAM & GIBBS. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1911.

THE "AWA MARU" RETURNS TO SEATTLE.

The Hongkong office of the N. Y. K. is in receipt of telegraphic communication from the Company's office in Seattle that the s.s. Awa Maru, which left that port on the 19th inst., is returning to Seattle for certain repairs to be effected, and was due back there on the 21st inst. It is estimated that the repairs will take three days

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COMPANY MEETING.

EWO COTTON SPINNING AND

WEAVING CO., LTD., The sixteenth ordinary meeting of shureholders of the Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd:, was held at the offices. of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., Shanghai, last week. Mr. C. E. Anton presided, and there were also present : Messrs. A. McLeod, E. E. Clark and Zee Quan-yuen-(Consulting Committee), A. Brooke Smith (Secretary), Brodie A. Clark, J. C. Dyer, Kerfoot, R. U. Hummel, H. 'W. Daldy, R. E. Wilson, D. Brand; J. Johnstone, C. H. Butler, C. H. C. Platt and Pane

The CHARMAN said :- Gentlemen,-With your approval I propose to take the report and accounts for the year ended October. 31, 1911, which have been in your hands for some days, as read. During the first, half of the year under review, the margin between cotton and our products was far from encouraging, but an improvement set in in the Spring and lasted until the outbreak of the Revolution, at which time it may be said that demand for yarn was becoming increasingly good. The General Managers and Consulting Committee vensome sort, say, a templey in front of the ture to hope that the result of the working provincial Assembly, to three of these of the past twelve months may be considered satisfactory and that the proposed apporlionment of the amount at credit of profit and loss account will-have the approval of shareholders.

After providing for interest due on preference shares and the proposed dividend of Tis. 7 per share on the ordinary shares, the sum of Tis. 79,734.35 remains available for allocation, and I trust the desire of the Consulting Committee to build up our reserves by placing Tls. 40,000 to credit to equalization of dividend account will appeal to you. With the addition of that amount, Tls. 290,000 will be available as the provision against years of bad trade. Additions and improvements are continually being made to the machinery in the mills, and those necessitate the transfer of Tls. 30,000 to special repairs and renewals account.

The machinery in both mills is in excellent working order, and it is to be regretted that the suspension of business in yarn, owing to the Revolution, necessitated night work in the No. 1 Mill being stopped on November 12-at the moment, the Mills are only being run during the day. The yarn and cloth produced by our new Mill-now called the No. 2 Mill-was in good request until business came to a standstill in the middle

Your General Managers and Consulting Committee being well satisfied with the resulfs obtained from the first lot of Looms, have ordered a further number, and early next year we should have 500 Looms in running order. The 1910-11 Chinese cotton exceptionally high in sympathy with the

in the controlling markets. As regards the size of this season's crop, it is impossible to form any idea, as, owing to the present disturbed state of the country, very little cotton is being marketed and receipts to date compare most unfavourably. with those of last year. My own opinion is that the growth is below the average; however, the American crop promises to be a record one and we may reasonably expect

to see low prices all over the world for some

In common with other mills we had to put up with much adulteration in China cotton during the greater part of last season -the addition of water and other foreign matter became so serious that early this year a movement was made by several firms here, and the Cotton Anti-Adulteration Association was formed, which, with the aid of the Consular and Diplomatic Bodies, succeeded in establishing the Shanghai Cotton Testing House. The Testing House, which is controlled by the Commissioner of Customs and the Committee of the Cotton Anti-Adulteration Association, commenced work early this season, and appears to be operating to the satisfaction of all interested in the Cotton trade. So far, it has certainly put a stop to excessive adulteration, and thanks of the mills and exporters are due to the Consular and Diplomatic officials who so energetically induced the authorities in Peking to recognize the imperative necessity of making an effort to place the raw cotton trade of this country on to a healthy basis.

A year age my predecessor said: "It is. practically impossible to say how we shall fare this year "-to-day, I can do no more than repeat his words and express the hope that, while the outlook is, at the moment, gloomy, peace may soon be arranged between the contending parties, that, at the next annual meeting, it may be possible to ask shareholders to pass an account equally satisfactory as the one now before you. If anyone wishes to ask any questions, I shall be pleased to answer them to the best of my

No questions were asked, and on the proposition of the Chairman seconded by Mr. A. McLeod the report and accounts were

A dividend of 7 per cent, per share on the ordinary shares was authorised for payment on a motion by the Chairman seconded by Mr. Daldy.

The Chairman then proposed the re-election of the Consulting Committee, consisting of the representative of Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., Messrs. A. McLeod, E. E. Clark and Zee Quan-yuen, This was seconded by Mr. Wilson and carried.

The final resolution, that Mr. Geo. R. Wingrove be re-elected auditor, was adopted on the proposition of the Chairman seconded by Mr. Hummel.

The Chairman-That is all the business, gentlemen. Dividend warrants will be ready to-morrow.

I'm not too soon this year. A Merry Christ

weather that we would all wish for this season of good will and peneral happiess. A sloppy country. "Whoever supected it to foreshadow sort of Christmas is something like a calamity, cortailing as it does the pleasure of the occasion, but with bright skies and a bracing atmosphere it needs little effort to be merry.

The Christmas mail was a particularly heavy one, and not a few plum puddings came to hand. It is to be hoped that these will prove to be as palatable as the denors desired, but even if they don't it will not matter much, as they would still be appropriated for the kindliness and the remembrance which prompted their despatch. . While there were happy recipients of parcels ou Thursday and Friday here were many who had to realise that their friends at Home had not . From warned to post in time, with the result that after the festivities have run their cours parcels will be arriving which revive the Christmas and New Year feeling.

I hough the year is running to its close, the Legis'ative Council has not concluded it labours members are by no means unanimous over the Public Health and Buildings Amendment year, even though it may render the Revised plete.

leaving Home for the Far East.

However, the most important of the changes are to ose which seek to give to the Director of Public Works certain arbitary powers as Building Authority. The unofficial members with one accord opposed the proposal, and the explanation of the promoters that no better scheme could be devised was pooh-poohed by most of the trofficials who will no doubt set themselves to the task of proving that a better arrangement can be devised.

a badge to chance every week if the operation gives opportunities for such a speach as the Acting Colonial Secretary delivered on Thursday. It was amusing, as well as critical, and helped us to realise what a blot had rested on Morocco treaty in the Reichstag, and that at our a tistic reputation for so many years. As a matter of fact, the badge has hitherto been seen so seldom that nobody ever dreamed that it was significance given to Mr. Lloyd George's so ugly until the discovery was made in the speech at the Guildhall on the evening Colonial Secretary's Office. The new badge is of the 21st, which the German Reichskanzler ur doubtedly simple in design, and nobody need blush to see it on our flag.

The man who is credited with having organised Copper and copper mining shares have been the present revolution in China, Dr. vun Yat attracting attention of late, as present and pro-Sen, ressed through Hongkong on Thursday, spective supplies of this metal are represented The fact that he refused to be interviewed shows ito full far short of the requirements of the trade. that he has some sense of his responsibility, There is little change to report in the prices of though this may be doubted on reading the other articles, such as wool, cotton, coffee, utterances which he is reported to have made to sugar, &c. With regard to the last-named coma Chinese audience in the afternoon. He | modity, the announcement by Sir Edward Grey wants to borrow money from foreigners that Great Brita'n might under certain continwithout giving security. This would suggest | gencies feel obliged to withdraw from the that the hospitality which he received in Europe | Brussels beet sugar convention at its expiration has led him to form wreng conclusions and to on September 1, 1913, is being much discussed. first and business men afterwards. I don't the best producing countries not only levied a think he will hug that delusion very long.

It is a worthy motive which prompts a n to safeguard the rights of a minority, but when that minority does not even exist it seems like a sheer waste of goodness. On Thursday last the Legislative Council was startled when the Colonial Treasurer demanded recognition for the Clergy of the Church of Scotland in the list of voters and rebuked the Attorney-General for suggesting that such a person came under the heading of a Protestant dissenter, rightly point. ing out that the Church of Scotland was an Established Church. But when it transpired that there were no clergy of that ilk in the Colony the Treasurer bad sorrowfully to admit that there was no occasion for his taking further action. It does seem an anomaly that a Colony which boasts one of the largest gatherings of Scots in the For East cannot run to a national church. Does it mean that the Scot forgets his early training, the ten Commandments, and sundry other teachings when he gets East of Suez? I hope not.

ROBERICK BANDOW.

HAMBURG LETTER,

December 1st, 1911.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION. Sir Edward Grey's speech on the Morecco It looks, too, as if we are going to have the difficulties in the House of Commons on Monday night has failed to satisfy public opinion-in this a change in Great Britain's attitude towards Germany has been mistaken." says the Cologne Gazette, frequently the monthpiece of the Foreign Office in Berlin. He vindicates the policy he has pursued so far in the matter, and even the Opposition declares its approval of it. This was to be looked for, as it would have been contrary to the traditions of the British Parliament to leave the Government in the lurch on a question of foreign politics, which, although the danger point may be passed for the present will continue to exercise an important influence on the general state of officirs for some time come. The Freuz Ze tung, the ultra-conservative organ, thinks that the speech, which has been applouded by all parties in England and appears to have somewhat relieved the tension there, was not conciliatory (entgegenkommend); it has neither improved the situation nor made it worse, so that for the present everything remains as it was." All papers agree that the pacific assurances of Sir Edward and the hope he expresses of more friendly rein passing laws for the Colony, and it seems as lations with Germany in the fature lack if it had some more work in front of it. The warmth, but they admit that he is right in say ing that the process of reconciliation can be but . a slow and gradual one and cannot be accelerated Ordinance, and us others affected by the Bill Sir Edward states that England desires to live would like to be heard on the subject there is on terms of equality with Germany; let her every likelihood that it will not become law this prove it by no longer gradging us a place in the sun; but as long as she looks askance at our Edition of the Statutes of the Colony incom- colonial expansion and presumes to interfere in our dealings with other Powers, although her in terests are by no means concerned, we must doubt The Bill certainly makes quite a number of the sincerity of her friendly assurances. "It is changes. It amends the franchise and gives deeds not words we want to convince us of Great votes-not to women, but to professors and Britain's goodwill" is the cry of one and all. To other academic officers. It is as well that the be treated on an equal footing and to be left gentlemen to be identified with the University clone, is all we demand, adds the Berliner should know what their privileges are. It may Tageblatt, a liberal newspaper. At the same time help them to overcome any scruples about Sir E dward's statement with regard to the triple entente, that it would become an impossibility if one of its members were to barbour aggressive designs against Germany or any Power, has been noted with satisfaction.

The discrepancy in the statement of the Reichskanzler in his speech in the Reichstag the other day, that he had received no communications from the British Government between the let and 21st of July, and Sir Edward's assertion that he had several important interviews with the German Amb ssador during that time without being able to elicit any information, is generally commented upon, and it is asked why, if that was so, was not Sir Edward One could almost wish that Hongkong had Goschen, the British Ambassador in Berlin, in- lengthy one, included three-waltzes, as was structed to enquire of Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg himself. It is thought, however, that it may have been an oversight that will probably be explained in the coming debates on the any rate it appears to be no longer of any consequence. More importance is attached to the would fain represent as being an after-dinner utterance; and surprise is expressed that the Foreign Secretary and his two colleagues Ir. Asquith and Mr. Iloyd George, should ave allowed themselves to be alarmed by unabstantiated newspaper reports and still less

> liable native rumours from the coast. The effect of Sir Edward's speech on the Bourse has been decidedly reasuring, and though o boom has followed, great firmness once more prevails and quotations are tending upwards. Prade generally seems to be pretty active, the accounts from the manufacturing districts, more particularly from the iron and textile ce tres, eave little to be desired taking them altogether, of which the difficulty in obtaining railway trucks for the transportation of raw materials to the interior affords corroborative evidence.

> > COMMERCIAL NEWS.

imagire that fereigners are philanthropists It may be remembered that up to the year 1902 high import duly on foreign sugar but granted premiums on exports of the native article as well. The consequence was, that beet sugar was fold cheaper in the English markets than at home, by which the preserving and other industries there benefited largely, whilst the growing colonies complained of being ruined by the low prices ruling. At their argent and reiterated representations the British Government entered into negotiations with the best producing countries for the abolition of export premiums, and a convention was concluded between the several Powers in Brussels in March, 1902, providing for a cessation of export premiums, a reduction of the import duties, and the exclusion of sugar from such countries as refused to join. Russia was the only one that remained outside, and her sugars were consequently shut out from the European markets. The result of the convention was that prices rose in Great Britain, which suited the colonies, but called forth remonstrances from the various trades that used the saticle, so that Government felt it necessary before renewing.

the convention in 1907 to stipulate that England

should be permitted to import 200,000 tons annually from Russia. This was conceded, but the latter Power now demands that the quantity be increased to 600,000 tons, and is supported in this by Great Britain, which, however, declares it self satisfied with an additional 300,000 tons, say, 500,000 tons altogether, both governments engag ing to renew the convention for another five years from Sept. 1, 1903, should their request be granted, but threatening to give notice to terminate the treety on Sept. 1, 1912, should no agreement be arrived at. The permanent delegates from the different countries who are about to hold their annual meeting in Brussels

on Dec. 8 will therefore have to consider the necessity of convening a congress of representatives of their governments early in the new year to discuss the question, which may result in an abrogation of the sugar convention altogether and to a raturn to the old system of high protective duties and export premiums.

THE PROPOSED HIGH COLONIAL COURT. It is reported that while the proposed High Colonial Court will be definitely established at Berlin, a disciplinary colonial chamber will be opened in Hamburg,

THE POLICE BALL

Although the atmosphere was rather sultry for dancing on Friday night, the annual ball organised by members of the Police Force drew a large number of terpsichorean enthusiasts to the City Hall. The function has become an institution in Hongkong, and the present ball was quite on a par with those of preceding years. The police who organised the ball were as assiduous as ever in attending to the comforts of their guests. The decorations were not on what could be termed a lavish scale, but they were as effective as could at wished. The staircase leading to the two halls was a mass of greenery and bunting, and St. George's Hall, in which the dancing took place, was prettily decorated with festoons of greenery. The supper tableswere laid in St. Andrew's Hall, as of yore, and the old Chamber of Commerce room was again the meeting place for numerous guests who found dancing too irksome and preferred to while away the hours by card playing. The bar was in charge of Messrs. Attewell, Clarke and Cockle.

Messrs, J. Ogg and Cockle were the card room committee, while the supper arrangements were carried out by Messrs. J. Watt and J. Grant. The decorations and the general arrangements in connection with the function were carried out by a general committee, of which Mr. Baker was the head. The secretary, Mr. Lee, has occupied the position for the past five years, and his energy was again responsible this year for the undoubted success attained.

Dancing commenced at 'nine o'clock, and it is estimated that fully 250 dancers were present. The dance music was played by Maas, c Crawford, b Addison the band of the K.O.Y.L.I. The M.Cs. were Messrs, R. C. Watt, W. Stuart and A. Pattison. The programme, a very the case last year, two lancers, two valetas, quadrilles, military two step, an eightsome reel, La Rinka, D'Alberts, Caledonians, Boston two-step, Schottische, a barn dance, a polka, and a Sir Roger de Coverley. The programme was, in fact, almost the counter-

THE EXPORT OF CHINESE PRODUCE.

report just issued by the Imperial Maritime Customs, giving an analysis of the export trade from China, contains, the following table showing the value of the export of Chinese produce to foreign countries for ten years :-

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COMMISSIONS IN THE SPECIAL RESERVE OR TERRITORIAL FORCE.

The following dispatch from the Secretary of State for the Colonies is published in the Governmen! Gazette :--

Downing Street,

15th November, 1911. Sir,-I have the honour to inform you that the War Office have had under their consideration the question whether commissions, in the Special Reserve or Territorial Force can be held by gentlemen belonging to the permanent Civil Service of the Crown Colonies and Protectorates, and that the Army Council have now decided

(a.) Commissions in the Special Reserve will no longer be given to gentlemen permanently employed in civil capacities in the Crown Colonies and Protec-

(b.) Officers of the Special Reserve who are at present holding, or who may in future accept, such permanent civil appointments will be called upon to resign their commissions.

2.-There is no necessity for an officer of the Territorial Force who has been seconded to resign his commission until he shall have reached the limit of the period (four years) during which he may be seconded from that

3.—The Army Council have further intimated that officers will no longer, be permitted to retire under the provisions of Article 510 of the Royal Warrant if they intend to take up permanent civil appoint. ments in British Colonies and Protectorates. It is not meant, however, that the rule as to resignation of their commissions in the Special Reserve should have retrospectiveeffect as regards officers who retired under the above-mentioned Article and are now employed under Colonial Governments.-

L. HARCOURT. The Officer Administering the Government of Hongkong.

LOCAL SPORT.

This league match resulted in a win for the C.C.C. Sc.res :-

C.C.C. v. KOY.L.T.

. Cpl. Dempsey, o Viveash, b Tayler ... Pte. Cleggio J. Braga, b Tayler Pte. Castleman, c-Hancock, b Lammert Cpl. Priestland, b Tayler L. Cpl. Pockhurst, c and b Tayler Pte. Darling, c E. Brags, b Lammert... C. Fgt. Knight, o E. Brnga, b Lammert Pte, Hall, h Taylor ... Pie. Lightfoot, b Lammert Pte, Thompson, not out Pte, Tate, c Noria, b Taylor ... Extras 6

Total Bowling Analysis, Braga, J. Taylor ... Lammert J. D. Noria, b Dempsey L. A. Rose, o Knight, b Dempsey G. A. Hancock, o Hall; b Beckhurst J. V. Braga, e Hall, b Beckhurst R. A. Carvalho, not out H. H. Tayler, b Itempary. E. L. Brags, l.b.w., Priestland L. E. Lammert, not out... W. H. Viveash) R. Basa R. Pestonji

Total for 6 Wks. 120

HONGRONG CRICKET CLUB " HONGKONG.

GOLF CLUB. This match was played on the Hongkong C.C. grounds, and resulted in an easy win for the Hongkong Club. The scores were as

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Hewitson Pestonji HONGKONG CLUB. Rev. Hewitson, l.b.w., b Bird. Pearca o Dashwood, b"Bagnall Faveley b Bird Fowler, c Dashwood b Bagnall Atkinson, St. Dashwood, b Bird

> six wickets for ... BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Bagnall Hutchison .

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

R. E. beat the Hongkong Club by three goals to nil, Naval Yard defeated R. G. A. by four goals

CHRISTMAS FIXTURES.

KOWL ON U. C.C.C.

A friendly match has been arranged to b played on Tuesday, commencing at Il a.m. The following will represent the C.C.C.

H. H. Tayler, G. A. Hancock, L. E. Lammer W. H. Viveash, R. Pestonji, L. A. Rose, J. I. Noria, R. Phillips, C. Johnstone, S. Battlivar and R. Basa.

H.K.C.C. t. UNITED BERVICES. For this annual two days' fixture, the follow ing bave been selected to play for the Hongkon Cricket Club against the United Services:-A. C. E. Elborough, R. E. O. Bird, T. Pearce, H. Ha-cock, R. O. Hutchison, A. Dashwood, A. E. Fowler, M. A. Mass, R. Thursfield, D. E. Donnelly and A. R. Suthe

Play to commence to-day at 2.15 p.m., an to-morrow at 10 a.m.

Tiffin to be obtained at the pavilion on the 25th instant, at I o'clock.

LAWN BOWLS.

Kowloon Bowling Green closed its season on-Saturday afternoon when the finals in three competitions were played and the members were at home" to their friends,

the meeting and discussed. Mr. Darby There was a good attendance. The chamwith reference to the action of the Hongpionetip competition resulted in an easy win emigration of coolies to Borneo, and they for A. Ramsay over D. Keith by 21 to 6, G. R. Edwards beat S. Gray for the President's prize, had promised to take steps to remove the existing difficulties and misunderstandings. by 21 to 10, and C. Alexander won from D. Cooper in the Edwards Cup by 21 to 20. At the close of play the prizes were presented by

Mrs. Edwards as under : Championship-A. Ramsay; runner up, D.

President's prize-G'R. Edwards; runner up. Vice-President's prise-G. R. Edwards; runner up, S Gray.

"Telegraph" Cup (handicap competition) - L. Guy; runner up, A Ramsay. Edwards Cup-C. Alexander ; runner up, D.

Croquet singles competition-G. R. Edwards runner up, G. K. Haxton.

Mr. D. Harvey, the president of the club, afterwards presented Mrs. Edwards with a beautiful bonquet, and on the call of Mr W. Russell the donors of prizes were thanked for

their gifts.

BOXING

A good house wilnessed: the boxing at the City Hall on Faturday inght. Bill Lewis ac'ed as referee and the watch was in the hands of Mr. C. Bond.

The chief event of the programme was a twenty two-minute rounds bout for the 10 stone championship of the Orient letween Micky Dann of H.M.S. Minotaur and Stoker Arnold of H.M.S. Monmouth. This went the full twenty rounds and ended in a draw. It was a good clean fight throughout, but owing to the continual cliuching, was somewhat uninteresting The decision of the referee met with the approva of the andience.

There were four preliminary bouts. The first was between Ferrigan of the Minoteur and Littlejohn of the Tamar. The latter was altogether too good for his opponent and Ferrigan was in trouble from the start. The third round saw him languing the boards for over 10 seconds.

Seamon Gummer of the Astreta and Seamon Skinner of the Monmouth next clashed, and mixed matters for a couple of rounds. In the third Skinner got in a heavy punch on to the jaw and Gummer had no further interest in the proceedings.

Sixtwo-minuterounds between Healy and Duff both of the Minctour, proved very interesting. Healy did most of the leading, and several times got his man into tight corners, but Duff cleverly smothered up and thereby evaded punishment. There was plenty of give and take and at the

finish of the bout honours were easy. Gunner Bost, 12 stone, and Sesman Steer, 11 stone, next took the arena. They smacked each other for the first two minutes, and provided a golden opportunity for witty remarks from some of the onlookers. In the second round Steer waltzed all over Burt and put him to sleep with a gentle tap on the point.

Myles challenged the winner of the Arnold-Dunn hout for a side bet of \$400. Petter is inclined to meet Shuter.

X'MAS SERVICES.

WAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The Roman Catholic Ca hedral was gaily decorated for the celebration of Christmas. The Church was filled with a large congregation. Matins started at 10.30 p.m., His Lordship Bishop Pozzoni (fliciating with the assistance of the full clergy. The following were sung | CHRISTMAS by the Sanctuary choir: Christas natus est pro nobis and the Hymn "Jesu Redemptor" and Pasims 2, 18, 44, 47, 71, 84, 88 95 and 97

The Te Deum was solemly sung by the full choir, followed by the Pontifical Mass (music by Albrecht in B flat), accompanied by the orchestra of the Philarmonics and by M. sarr, M. Baptista,

A. Ormund and R. Baptista. The Aderte Fideles was sweetly sung by a member of St. Joseph's of oir and responded by the congregation. The services concluded at 8 at 1 a.m. when communion was administered

This morning Solemn High Mass will be held at 8 o'clock, with sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Secrement at 5.30 p.m.

COOLIE EMIGRATION TO BORNEO.

The following is extracted from the

Letters from the Government and the

minutes of a meeting of the North Borneo

Chamber of Commerce, held on the 27th

British Borneo Exploration Co., Ltd.; and

also Mr. Riddell's report were placed before

mentioned that he had seen the Government

kong Authorities in discouraging the

It was considered that the scheme outlined

in the circular letter of the 6th November

last issued by Government on the subject

was too lacking in detail for the Committee

to offer any effective criticisms on it. It

was resolved that the most expeditious way

of handling the matter would be to ask His

Excellency the Acting Governor if he would

be good enough to meet a Sub-Committee

of the Chamber on his return to Sandakan

in order to discuss the situation raised and

obtain definite information on several points

involved by the Government scheme but not

dealt with, or explained in, the Government

circular, one point of urgent importance

being what regulations the Government pro-

pose to adopt after the 31st December and

until the Government agency is in working

order in order to ensure that the required

Aston, Breitag and Darby was appointed for

the above purpose and the Acting Secretary

was instructed to take the necessary steps

A Sub-Committee consisting of Messrs.

supply of labour might be forthcoming.

to arrange for an interview.

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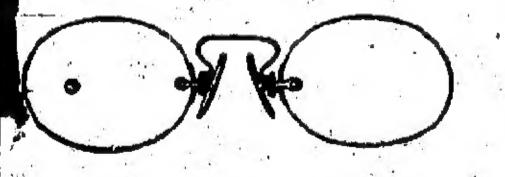
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONE KONG.

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A. R. LOWE, Chartered Accountant. Liquidaror. Hongkong, 8th December, 1911.

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ARTHUR NILSSON & Co. Hongkong, 20th December, 1911. [1445]

NOTICE. HAVE This Day authorised Mr. SOOMARBHOY MOWJEE to Sign

my Firm.

Hongkong, 23rd December, 1911. TATITUTAL AUTOME

E. PABANEY.

(TUESDAY).

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any case whatever. Bills of Lidding will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., Hongkong, 18th December, 1911. [1415

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Cargo remaining undelivered on FRIDAY, the 22nd inst., at 5 P.M., will-be landed at Consignees' risk and expense and delivery must then be taken from Company's Godown.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected. No Claims will be recognised after the Goods have left the Steamer or Golown, and all Goods remaining undelivered on FRIDAY, the 27th inst., afternoon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All chafed and otherwise damaged Cargo to be left on board or Godown, and examination of same to be arranged. All Claims must be filed on or before FRIDAY, the 5th January, otherwise they will

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K. MATSDA, Agent. Hongkong, 19th December, 1911. [1451]

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be left in the Godowns, whore they will be examined on the 23rd inst., at 9.30 A.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 24th inst. will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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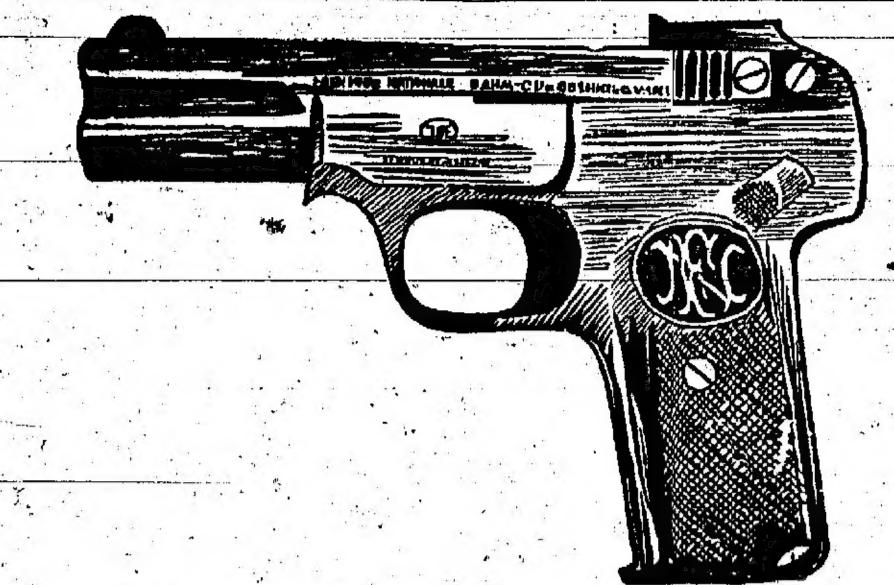
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ARRIVALS.

BARON BALFOUR, British str., 2,552, G. L. Symond, 23 d Doc. New York, Kerosene oil-Standard Oil Co. BOMBAY MARU, Japanessostr., 3,884, J. Noma, 23rd Dec.-Moji 18th Dec. General-

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Nippon Yusen Kaisha. TATATSE, French str., 691, Grilhon, 23rd Dec. -Karatsu 17th Dec. Coal-Order.

DEPARTURES. 23rd December.

HIMALAYA, British str., for Europe, &c. KASHING, British str., for Canton. KAWACHI MARD, Japanese str., for Singapore. ONSANG, British str., for Canton. Soshu Maru, Japanese str., for Cauton. TAIHHUN, British str., for Shanghai. XUENBANG, British str., for Manila, 24th December.

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SHIPPING REPORT. The British str. Indravelli reports: Strong N.E. monsoon.

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The P. M. S.S. Cu. s.s. Kore : sailed from San Francisco December 6th for Hongkong, via Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagaski and Shanghai, and is dup here on January 2nd. The P. M. S.S. Co.'s str. Siberia sailed from San Francisco on the 19th inst. for Hongkong, via Bonolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Manila, and is due to arrive here on the 19th

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL. The I G.M. str. Frinz Waldemar left Sydney on the 16 h instant, at 11 a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 8th prox. The E. & A. str. St. Albans left Sydney on the 20th inst., for this port (via Queensland)

Ports, Timor and Manila). THE CANADIAN MAIL The C.P.R. Co.'s str. Empress of India left Vancouver, B.C., for Hongkong (via usual ports

of call) at a.m. on the 14th inst. THE GERMAN MAIL. The I.G.M. str. Buclow, carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 29th ult., left Singapore on the 24th inst., at 9 a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 28th inst.,

at midnight. THE INDIAN MAIL The Indo-China str. Fooksamy left Singapore for Hougkong on the 20th instant, and is due

here to-morrow. The Indo-China str. Laisang left Calculta for Hongkong on the 15th instant, and is due here on or about the 31st inst.

MERCHANT STRAMERS. The A. & M. Line str. Kioto left Sabang on the 18th inst., and is due here on or about the 28th inst.

The B. J. Canton consigned to Olof Wijk Co, left Suez on the 4th instant and is expected here on or about the 2nd of January next. The T.K.K. str. Shinyo Maru sailed from San Francisco on the 13th inst. for Hongkong, and is due at Hongkong on the 9th prox. The T.K.K. str. Kiyo Maru sailed from Salina Cruz on the 12th instant for Hongkong, and is expected to arrive at this port on or about the 3rd February.

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

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DAGNY, Norwegian str., 883, P. Solvesen, 22nd Dec.-Hongay 19th Dec. Coal-Asgaard. Thoresen & Co. FRI, Norwegian str., 86?, C. Wagle, 17th Dec.

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Soseu Maru, Japanese str., 1,119, K., Sugawa, 22nd Dec .- Anping, Amoy via Swatow 21st Dec., General-Osaka Shosen Kaisha. TENYO MARU, Japanese str., 7,268, E. Bent. 19th Dec .- San Francisco 22nd November.

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+ RANDAKAN "MAUSANG" Saturday,	30th Dec., Noon.
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